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TAGS: PARM, PFOR, ZA

SUBJECT: ENTRY INTO FORCE OF BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS CONVENTIONS

REF: STATE 40761

1. EMBOFF CALLED ON FOREIGN MINISTRY ACTING DIRECTOR  
TREATY AFFAIRS NYANTUKA MARCH 5 TO URGE EARLY SIGNATURE  
AND RATIFICATION OF BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS CONVENTION BY  
ZAMBIA. AIDE MEMOIRE CONVEYING GIST PARAS 1-2 REFTEL  
LEFT WITH NYANTUKA. LATTER APPEARED UNFAMILIAR WITH  
CONVENTION BUT SAID HE WOULD BRING EMBASSY REQUEST TO  
ATTENTION PERMANENT SECRETARY AND MINISTER.

2. COMMENT: GIVEN PRESS OF OTHER MATTERS OF MORE  
IMMEDIATE CONCERN TO ZAMBIA AND SEVERE SHORTAGE  
COMPETENT FOREIGN MINISTRY LEGAL STAFF, WE DOUBT  
THAT EARLY ACTION BY ZAMBIA ON THIS CONVENTION  
WILL BE FORTHCOMING.  
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